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TURKEY AND TURKEY PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 19, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-321

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell turkey and turkey products as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, Sept. 17. Acceptances will be announced by midnight Friday, Sept. 21. Deliveries are to be made from Nov. 1 to Nov. 15.

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Items listed as "KOSHER ONLY" must be produced as a Kosher product. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-321, the Commodity Specifications for Turkey and Turkey Products, Smoked Turkey Ham, and Deli-Style Turkey Breasts and Deli-Style Smoked Turkey Breasts dated March 2007, Appendix-1, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch; STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, DC 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-321, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Bulk Pack (233390) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled young turkeys without necks and giblets, nonbasted. Frozen may be specified in the Invitation. The individual turkey weight range must be 18 pounds (8.16 kg) and up per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required in the Commodity Specification for Turkey and Turkey Products dated March 2007. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Roasts (233648) - Frozen ready-to-cook turkey roasts must weigh not less than 8 pounds (3.63 kg) and not more than 12 pounds (5.44 kg). Roasts must be packaged in elasticized netting and moisture-proof casings or plastic-film bags and packed four roasts per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

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COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN

COMM TYPE : 33 TURKEY, FRESH/FROZEN, BULK

PACK SIZE : 90 BULK PACKED

ITEM	DESTINATION		TRANS	QUANTITY
NO	CITY	ST	RESTR	(LBS)

DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/07 - 11/15/07

001	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	144,000*
002	WILLMAR	MN	TRUCK ONLY	576,000*
003	RAEFORD	NC	TRUCK ONLY	216,000
004	TURLOCK	CA	TRUCK ONLY	72,000*

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,008,000

^{*}NO TOLERANCE ALLOWED - Less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

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COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 36 TURKEY, ROAST, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 48 32-48 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST 	TRAN REST		QUANTITY (LBS)	
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/07 - 11/15/07						
005	ROCKY HILL	СТ	TRUCK	ONLY	40,000	
006	CHICOPEE	MA	TRUCK	ONLY	20,000	
	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK	ONLY	20,000	
007	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK	ONLY	40,000	
800	WILMINGTON	MA			40,000	
009	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK	ONLY	80,000	
010	HOLLEY	NY			40,000	
011	MILTON	NY	TRUCK	ONLY	40,000	
012	MALONE	NY	TRUCK	ONLY	20,000	
	YORKVILLE	NY	TRUCK	ONLY	20,000	
013	CRANSTON	RI	TRUCK	ONLY	40,000	
014	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK	ONLY	40,000	
015	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK	ONLY	11,520	
	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK	ONLY	28,480	
016	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK	ONLY	18,200	
	MONTGOMERY	AL	TRUCK	ONLY	21,800	
017	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK	ONLY	10,760	
	HUNTSVILLE	AL	TRUCK	ONLY	14,920	
	THEODORE	AL	TRUCK	ONLY	14,320	
018	AMERICUS	GA	TRUCK	ONLY	40,000	
019	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK	ONLY	40,000	
020	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK	ONLY	40,000	

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NO	CIII	21	RESTR	(LBS)

DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/07 - 11/15/07

021	BAKERSFIELD	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
022	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
023	FOREST GROVE	OR		40,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 800,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 1,808,000

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